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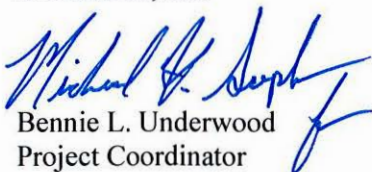
**Reference: Gary Development Landfill Superfund Site, Gary, Indiana
Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order on Consent for the Remedial
Investigation/Feasibility Study,
CERCLA Docket No. V-W-14-C-004
February 2018 Monthly Progress Report #046**

Dear Mrs. Blake:

In fulfillment of the requirements of Section IX, Paragraph 32, of the Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order on Consent for the Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study, CERCLA Docket No. V-W-14-C-004, the Respondents are submitting the February 2018 monthly progress report.

Should you have any questions or comments, please contact Mr. Mike Samples, or me, at (865) 691-5052.

Sincerely,
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MONTHLY PROGRESS REPORT - #046

PROJECT NAME: Gary Development Landfill Superfund Site

PERIOD COVERED: February 2018

A. ACTIONS TAKEN TOWARD COMPLIANCE WITH THE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

- On February 6, 2018, the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) were provided with digital copies, and followed closely by hard copies, of the Remedial Investigation (RI) Report.
- With a transmittal dated February 14, 2018, the Gary Development Landfill Site Group (Respondents) Contractor (Parsons) submitted directly to EPA certificates of insurance and a copy of policies in accordance with Section XXV (Insurance) of the Administrative Settlement Agreement and Order on Consent for Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study (AOC).

B. SAMPLING AND TESTING ACTIONS AND RESULTS

- None.

C/D. WORK PLANNED FOR NEXT TWO MONTHS AND SCHEDULE OF SIGNIFICANT ACTIVITIES / DELIVERABLES

- Receive EPA approval of the RI Report, dated February 6, 2018.
- Initiate development of the Alternatives Screening Technical Memorandum, upon receipt of EPA approval regarding the Remedial Action Objectives Technical Memorandum (Appendix L to the RI Report).

E. CHANGES IN RI/FS WORK PLANS OR ACTIVITIES

- None.

F. ENCOUNTERED / ANTICIPATED DELAYS

- None.

G. COMMUNITY RELATIONS ACTIVITIES

- None.